

Bennington City Council
Regular Meeting
April 13, 2020

Meeting was brought to order at 7:00 P.M. with a motion by Dennis Kelley, second by David Galvan. Motion Carried.

Additions to the agenda were Rural water district contract, Burt's trailers, standing water sites, Twin Valley hot spots, Contractors license, Jerry Henderson's fence.

Motion by David Galvan, second by Dennis Kelley to approve printed list of bills and the minutes as written. Motion Carried.

Present at the meeting were Mayor Ward Stockamp, David Galvan, Brian Davidson, Judith Swagerty, Trudi Rathbun, Dennis Kelley and Adrienne Luthi. All Citizens were invited by telecaster to join the council meeting by phone. No visitors were physically be at the meeting, some joined by phone.

Chris Rose updated the council by phone regarding the Rec Department. Chris is waiting on the sign company to open back up so he can get signs for the Disk Golf course.

New building permits were discussed. Burt's are slowly getting trailers removed. Two of the three have been removed. No new violations are being written until the stay at home order is lifted.

Dump days have been cancelled by the County. MRS said that the cost would be \$700.00 to \$800.00 dollars above normal removal charges for the City of Bennington to go ahead and have dump days and pay for it ourselves. To remove tires would cost \$165.00 per ton. Motion by Judith Swagerty, second by Trudi Rathbun to proceed with dump days and approve the extra charges at the cities expense, including tire removal, the first full week of May. Motion Carried.

DRCL electric quote was discussed. Motion by Brian Davidson, second by David Galvan to approve the DRCL Electric quote for Electric work at the Rodeo Arena at a cost of \$2700.00. Motion Carried.

Standing water areas in the city were discussed. At the alley between Swagerty's and Groom's, the gravel needs to be pushed back to keep water from standing there. If the council is aware of any area's that need attention to avoid standing water, they are to call Dustin Murk.

Permits for chickens and goats were discussed. Motion by Dennis Kelley, second by Brian Davidson to approve a goat permit for Shamburg's and a chicken permit for Joel Brown. Motion Carried.

Motion by David Galvan, second by Brian Davidson to adjourn the meeting at 7:36 P.M. Motion Carried.